

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : **10/814785**  
Applicant : Mac et al.  
Filing date : April 1, 2004  
Title : Method and Apparatus for Treating the Body  
TC/A.U. : 3735  
Examiner : **Farah**  
Docket No. : **5351**  
Customer No. : 26936

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION**

Sir:

We filed a Notice of Appeal in this application on March 12, 2008.

On April 7, a new non-final rejection was issued, but it did not reopen prosecution. Please indicate whether prosecution is being reopened, so that Applicant will know whether to answer the new action (response due July 7), or file an appeal brief (due May 12).

Respectfully submitted,

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